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## THE WOOD HEARING

**The Senate Committee Concluded Its Investigation of Charges Made Against the General.**

### SECRETARY ROOT FOR DEFENSE.

**It is Understood the Committee Will Recommend Confirmation of His Appointment as Major General.**

**A Minority Report Will Be Made By the Opposing Members of the Committee—Secretary Root Warmly Defended Gen. Wood.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—The senate committee on military affairs Wednesday night concluded its investigation of charges against Leonard Wood, filed for the purpose of preventing his confirmation as major general. Secretary Root was the only witness Wednesday. He was on the stand for two and a half hours at the forenoon session and occupied the attention of the committee from 8 o'clock until 11:20. The committee will meet Thursday to prepare its report. It is understood that confirmation will be recommended by a vote of 8 to 2. A minority report will be made by the opposing members of the committee. The testimony of Secretary Root is practically the only defense that has been made of Gen. Wood in the hearing which has extended since about the beginning of the extraordinary session of congress. This testimony, however, covered the entire range of the evidence produced against Gen. Wood and was supported in many instances with correspondence and other data taken from records at the war department covering the period of Gen. Wood's administration as governor general of Cuba. Secretary Root undertook to assume the whole responsibility for the orders issued by Gen. Wood affecting the judicial system in Cuba and concerning the concession granted to the Jal Alai Co. at Havana. He justified the acceptance by Gen. Wood of the present of a silver set from the Jal Alai Co.

At the forenoon session of the committee Secretary Root was given every latitude in telling his story of the affairs in the island and refuting the charges that had been made by a number of witnesses, but at the evening session questions were asked by Senator Teller which confined the secretary to the Runcie letter, the Jal Alai concession, the Rathbone trial, Gen. Wood's friendship for Bellairs and the question of seniority as a means of recognizing military service. Many of the questions were pointed and in some cases severe upon Gen. Wood, but in every case Gen. Wood found a warm defender.

### MINISTER BEAUPRE.

**War Vessel Will Be Sent to Cartagena to Bring Him to Colon.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary Moody Wednesday instructed Rr. Adm. Coghlan to send a war vessel to Cartagena to bring United States Minister Beaupre to Colon, the minister having decided to avail himself of the leave of absence granted him some time ago. That the proper courtesy may not be lacking either to Mr. Beaupre or to the Colombian government it is expected at the navy department that Rr. Adm. Coghlan will proceed to Cartagena in command of a small squadron, leaving an adequate force off Colon.

### GEN. RAFAEL REYES.

**A United States Warship May Convey Him Back to Colombia.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—It was said at the navy department Wednesday that the question of placing a warship at the disposal of Gen. Rafael Reyes, the Colombian special envoy, to convey him home when he shall have completed his mission, which had not yet been taken up by the state or navy departments. The navy department is prepared to respond promptly in case the state department decides to offer Gen. Reyes this courtesy.

### Consulate Building at Chee Foo.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Senator Culom has given notice that he will offer for amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill providing for the purchase of a building for the United States consulate at Chee Foo, China.

### Bill to Restore Public Lands.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The senate committee on public lands reported a bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to restore to public entry lands embraced in whole or in part within segregations for reservations.

Pittsburg, Dec. 17.—A combine was affected here Wednesday by which the Duquesne Brewing Co. absorbs 15 breweries in this city and vicinity.

### TYPHOID FEVER.

**It Almost Wipes Out a Family in Hardin County.**

Elizabethtown, Ky., Dec. 17.—Chas. Cofer, of Pitts Point, this county, aged about 30 years, died of typhoid fever. The Cofer family has been almost destroyed by the disease. Joseph Cofer, a brother of the deceased, died a fortnight ago, and Marion, another brother, also died from the disease. Mrs. Horace Cofer, the mother of the boys, died only a short time ago. James Cofer contracted the disease and mysteriously disappeared the day upon which his brother Joseph was buried. Horace Cofer, the head of the family, who was bedfast for several weeks with the disease, has about recovered.

### FORMED A HUMAN CHAIN.

**Football Players Save a Young Man From Drowning.**

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 17.—Joe Curtis, a well-known young man, was saved from drowning in 30 feet of water in Lake Ellertle Wednesday afternoon by a human chain composed of Maj. J. Embry Allen, state senator; President Kemper and White Guy, football players on the State college team, and Chas. Bentley, a student. Curtis had broken through the ice and was floundering helplessly around in the water. Maj. Allen, in trying to rescue him, also broke through the ice, but finally clambered out and formed the first link in the chain rescuing Curtis.

### POWERS OF A CORPORATION.

**Bishop Dudley Files Amended Articles of Incorporation.**

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—Amended articles of incorporation were filed Wednesday by Rt. Rev. Bishop Thomas U. Dudley, who, as Episcopal bishop of Kentucky, constitutes a corporation sole, with all the powers of a corporation. The amended articles are in accordance with rules laid down by the last Episcopal council, which authorized the bishop to have the power to sell and buy lands and property, with the approval of a standing committee of the Episcopal council.

### Noted Kentuckian Is Dead.

Carlisle, Ky., Dec. 17.—Hanson Kennedy, aged 47 years, ex-circuit judge of the 18th district, member of the constitutional convention, president of the Carlisle deposit bank and one of the most noted lawyers in Kentucky, died at his home in this city of tuberculosis.

### Charles Blessing Died Suddenly.

Carrollton, Ky., Dec. 17.—A dispatch received from Buffalo, N. Y., states that Charles Blessing, of this city, died there suddenly. He was a graduate of State college, 25 years of age, and held an important position with a large electrical house of that city.

### Judge Du Relle Better.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 17.—The condition of Judge George Du Relle showed even more improvement Wednesday than Tuesday. It is believed that if he can retain his present strength for 24 hours more he will have passed the most critical stage of his illness.

### Their Secret Made Known.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 17.—The secret marriage of Miss Mabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph La Boiteaux, of 237 East Tenth street, to Mr. W. R. Gordon, a prominent young broker of Chicago, was made known Wednesday. The event took place October 7.

### Berry Howard Shot a Bear.

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 17.—The largest black bear killed in recent years in these parts was shot by Berry Howard, who is known all over the state because of his alleged knowledge in connection with the assassination of the late Gov. Goebel.

### Half Interest in Youngsters.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 17.—James C. Rogers, of this city, has sold to Trainer J. C. Milam a half interest in the 2-year-old brown colt Toupee, by Tenny—Flores, by Victory, and the chestnut yearling filly, by Goodrich—Melody, by Longfellow.

### Given a Reprimand.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 17.—The court of appeals Wednesday handed down a severe reprimand to Attorney E. E. Hogg, of Owsley county, for alleged disrespectful language, bordering on contempt of court, in a rehearing petition.

### Tobaccoist Died Suddenly.

Newport, Ky., Dec. 17.—Michael Smith, a tobaccoist, fell dead Wednesday morning at his home, 822 German street. He had been suffering with rheumatism and an abscess that had formed on the left side of his neck.

### Soldier Died Suddenly.

Fort Thomas, Ky., Dec. 7.—John Burns, the snare drummer of the 3d infantry band, died suddenly Wednesday here. He arose at his usual time, but later in the morning became sick and died in a few hours.

## LOST ON THE RACES

**Secretary McKowen of California State University Confesses He is a Defaulter.**

### DEFALCATIONS \$20,000 OR MORE

**He Was Suspended by President Ide Wheeler and Placed Under Arrest by the Authorities.**

**McKowen Has Been in the University 20 Years, His Salary Being \$2,400 a Year—Peculation Has Been Going On Since 1898.**

Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 17.—W. A. McKowen, secretary of the board of regents of the state university, confessed Wednesday to President Benjamin Ide Wheeler that he was a defaulter to the amount of \$20,000 and possibly more. Most of the money was lost at the race track. Mr. McKowen has been suspended by President Wheeler and placed under arrest by the local authorities.

Secretary McKowen's arrest followed the discovery that he had attempted to pay a racing debt with a check made out to him personally by Mrs. Phoebe Hearst. This check was for \$1,160 and was handed over by McKowen to Bookmaker John Davis in payment of markers on the races for \$1,120. Davis gave McKowen \$40 in change and deposited the check in the Western national bank, from which it turned up to expose the affair.

President Wheeler said Wednesday: "I have suspended McKowen from office pending the action of Gov. Pardee, who is president of the board of regents, and have placed the office in charge temporarily of my private secretary, Victor Henderson.

"From what we have thus far learned, it appears that McKowen at different times since 1898 has used sums of money that came into his hands and instead of depositing them with the treasurer, has appropriated them to his own use.

"He covered this up, as far as we know, by taking corresponding amounts from university funds by charging them as expenditures under the head of one or the other university funds.

"He says he has not falsified his bookkeeping by making false entries or in any other way. So far as we know in this fiscal year, the total loss amounts to \$4,200.

"The total amount we do not know. He said he thought it would be \$20,000 or more. He had spent it on the race track."

President Wheeler spoke highly of McKowen's personality and was visibly affected in telling how his trust had been betrayed.

McGowen has been in the university about 20 years, is unmarried and about 40 years of age. His salary was \$2,400 a year.

### ROBBERS BLEW THE SAFE.

**Three Thousand Dollars Secured From An Iowa Bank.**

Sloux City, Ia., Dec. 17.—Robbers blew open the safe of the Citizens' savings bank at Quimby, 40 miles northeast of Sloux City, early Wednesday morning, and secured \$3,000 in cash.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock Wednesday morning burglars blew the door from the safe of the post office at Paulina, Ia., and secured \$125.

While in search of the men who committed the latter robbery, Sheriff Price, of O'Brien county, captured two of the Quimby bank robbers. The men attempted to save their booty by throwing it on the ground, but it was recovered to the amount of \$1,430.

### PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

**It Will Be Held in Kansas City Wednesday, June 29, 1904.**

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The next national convention of the prohibition party will be held in Kansas City Wednesday, June 29. Eight cities—Los Angeles, Indianapolis, Minneapolis, Kansas City, Baltimore, Buffalo, Milwaukee and Columbus, O.—put in bids for the convention when the national committee of the party met here Wednesday, but after listening for several hours to the arguments of the rival delegates, Kansas City secured almost twice as many votes as its nearest competitor.

### Frank Bittinger Sentenced.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Frank Bittinger, president of the Nicaragua Co., charged with using the mails to defraud on a fake land scheme, entered a technical plea of guilty when arraigned Wednesday, and was sentenced to one year and one day in jail and to pay a fine of \$1,000. Bittinger was formerly city treasurer of Dayton, O.

### THE GILLESPIE MURDER.

**If the Grand Jury Fails to Find a True Bill Trouble Will Follow.**

Rising Sun, Ind., Dec. 17.—Excitement over the assassination of Miss Elizabeth Gillespie is still high. It is the sentiment here that if the grand jury fails to find a true bill in the case, trouble will certainly follow. From good authority the information has been secured, however, that the grand jury will cause several arrests to be made. It is stated that four people at least will soon be in the clutches of the law. One of these, a man who is now under suspicion and is being kept under surveillance, will be charged with murder, it is believed, and three others may be charged with being accessories to the crime. It is stated two of the latter are women.

### BOATSWAIN PATRICK DEERY.

**Will Be Presented With a Medal of Honor For Bravery.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—It was ascertained at the navy department Wednesday that Secretary Moody in addition to a letter of commendation to Boatswain Patrick Deery, of the Peoria, who at great peril swam to the submarine boat Adder and attached a line to her, will order that a medal of honor be presented to him as an evidence of the department's appreciation of his heroism. Boatswain Deery's bravery was strongly commended by Lieut. England, commanding the Peoria, and by Adm. Harrington, commandant of the Portsmouth, Va., navy yard.

### CHICAGO LIVERY DRIVERS.

**A Meeting Between Them and Employers Broke Without An Agreement.**

Chicago, Dec. 17.—A strike of livery drivers will probably be ordered Thursday, a mass meeting of the teamsters' union having been called for Thursday night to order the walk-out. A long meeting held Wednesday night between the drivers and employers broke up without an agreement being reached and a strike is considered certain. The demand of the drivers was \$14 a week and 12 hours work. The owners offered \$12 a week, 25 cents an hour overtime, an hour and a quarter for meals and more time off.

### COOPERS' STRIKE ENDED.

**Agreement Signed Between the Union and Packing Trades Council.**

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The first strike won by the coopers in the stock yards district in 21 years was concluded Wednesday, when the agreement was reached and signed between the coopers' union and the packing trades council on the one hand and the packers on the other. Hereafter the minimum scale is to be \$2.65, but all men earning \$3 a day or more are not to be reduced. Work was resumed Thursday morning.

### DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

**General Suspension of Mining in the Anthracite Coal Region.**

Philadelphia, Dec. 17.—It is expected that a general suspension of mining throughout the entire anthracite coal regions will be inaugurated with Christmas to continue until January 4. This step has already been announced by the Reading Co., and it is believed that all the other large companies will take similar action. One of the reasons for the shut down is that the production is in excess of present market requirements.

### THE FEVER SCOURGE.

**Two Deaths and Five New Cases Reported at Butler, Pa.**

Butler, Pa., Dec. 17.—Two deaths and five new cases make up the record of the typhoid fever scourge for Wednesday. Responses to the relief committee's call for aid, which was issued to the public Tuesday night, are coming in rapidly. Treasurer Thomas Schufflin is kept busy making a record of the contributions received. The total for the day exceeds \$2,000.

### Post Office Robbers Arrested.

Storm Lake, Ia., Dec. 17.—Federal officers have arrested John Williams and John Sherrill, at Sioux Rapids for the robbery of the post office at Linn Grove about six weeks ago. About \$1,400 worth of jewelry and stamps were found in Williams' house.

### Five Hundred Miners Strike.

Punxsutawney, Pa., Dec. 17.—A strike was declared at Rossiter, 500 miners in the employ of the Clearfield bituminous coal corporation quitting work. The trouble was caused by the discharge of James Callahan, one of the motormen.

New York, Dec. 17.—John C. Hennessy, a veteran New York newspaper man and former president of the New York Press club, is dead after a long illness. He was born in Ireland.

## SENATE PASSED IT.

**The Bill Carrying Into Effect the Reciprocity Treaty With Cuba Went Through.**

### THE VOTE WAS YEAS 57; NAYS 18

**It Provides a 20 Per Cent Reduction From the Rates of Duty Under the Dingley Law.**

**Also a Reduction of From 20 to 40 Per Cent. From Cuban Duty on Articles Imported Into Cuba From the United States.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—Senate—By the decisive vote of 57 to 18 the senate, Wednesday, passed the bill carrying into effect the reciprocity treaty with Cuba. The final vote came at the close of the day, which was marked by a debate which, while at all times animated, was never acrimonious. The principal speeches were made by Mr. Spooner for the bill and by Mr. Bailey against it. The bill passed carries into execution the treaty between the United States and Cuba, which was ratified last March. The treaty provides for a reduction of 20 per cent. from the rates of duty under the Dingley law on all Cuban articles imported into the United States and a varying reduction of from 20 to 40 per cent. from the established Cuban duty on articles into Cuba from the United States. After the passage of the Cuban treaty the senate agreed to the house resolution providing for a holiday recess from December 19 to January 4.

House—Central American affairs were discussed in the house and also pensions, industrial and agricultural conditions and labor. The session lasted more than four hours, the house being in committee of the whole almost the entire time on the pension appropriation bill on which no conclusion was reached. Mr. Lind (dem., Minn.), referring to an editorial published in a home paper, which he said reflected on his relations with Mr. Williams, the minority leader, stated that he desired to say that his relations with Mr. Williams were of the most cordial character.

Havana, Dec. 17.—News of the passage by the United States senate of the bill for reciprocity between the United States and Cuba was conveyed here by a bulletin and was spread through the city at the close of the business day. It came somewhat as a surprise, both to the Cuban and Spanish merchants, the prolonged negotiations and the many delays having caused a feeling of skepticism as to the outcome. President Palma and the members of his cabinet expressed no surprise at the passage of the bill, as they have always been confident that the scheme of reciprocity would eventually be successfully carried out. Nevertheless, they were highly gratified and greatly relieved at the settlement of the question.

Expressions of satisfaction were universal in Havana Wednesday night. Americans engaged in enterprises in Cuba are enthusiastic and believe that business generally will find relief from the depression of the past four months during which stocks ran extremely low. It is believed that the passage of the bill will result immediately in heavy buying, both from the United States and Europe.

### FRIAR LAND QUESTION.

**An Agreement Has Been Reached By Gov. William Taft.**

Manila, Dec. 17.—An agreement has been reached by Gov. Taft and the friars providing for the settlement of the friar "land question." The pope has given his approval of the terms of the settlement and the approval of the war department is awaited. The settlement provides for the purchase of 403,000 acres, comprising all the agricultural lands and holdings of the friars, with the exception of 12,000 acres, including a farm near Manila, which has been sold to a railway company, and also one sugar plantation. The price agreed upon is \$7,250,000. The friars originally asked \$15,000,000. Gov. Taft offered them \$6,000,000.

### PANAMA CANAL TREATY.

**The Convention Was Made Public in the Senate Executive Session.**

Washington, Dec. 17.—The senate in executive session Wednesday made public the convention between the United States and the republic of Panama for the construction of a canal across the Isthmus, which was signed on November 18. Senator Culom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, also laid before the senate the favorable report on the American-Chinese commercial treaty.



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### THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]

State of weather.....	Clear
Highest temperature.....	84
Lowest temperature.....	7
Mean temperature.....	20.5
Wind direction.....	Northerly
Precipitation (liquid) rain or snow.....	.00
Previously reported for December.....	.87
Total for December to date.....	.87

### "NO PROTECTION FOR OPPRESSIVE TRUSTS."

William Randolph Hearst's New York American gives the above as the policy of the people of the United States in regard to the tariff. On that point, Mr. Hearst probably knows as well as any one else that there are very few trusts that are not "oppressive." The one object of the formation of combines is to hold up the American people and force them to "stand and deliver." Mr. Hearst demands "tariff reduction on trust products which the trusts sell cheaper abroad than at home." If Congress hasn't lost all sense of right and justice, it looks like it oughtn't hesitate to make such a reduction, but nothing much can be hoped for in the way of relief from a Republican Congress, elected by the combines and controlled by them. On this demand, emphasized by Mr. Hearst, the Washington Post which has always been an advocate of a protective tariff, and an assailant of that wing of the Democratic party that advocated freer trade and the removal of all restrictions possible under the necessity for the present revenue, recognizes the inevitable effect of imports laid at a rate that is practically prohibitive, and thus states some of these results:

More than three years ago one of the most experienced and capable of the trusted Republican leaders in Congress and in campaigns told his political brethren that it was impossible to defend tariff schedules under which our manufacturers could sell their products in Europe at lower prices than were exacted from domestic consumers. In an attempted reply to that it was submitted that such sales were an occasional necessity in order to get rid of surplus stocks. They were compared to the "slaughter sales" of the big department stores.

Recent events have demolished that explanation. What was represented as an occasional expedient is now practically admitted to be a permanent policy. American manufactures are regularly and largely sold abroad at prices very much below the rates demanded at the mill doors. And this is not the whole of that story. Not only are the American consumers contributing to the cheapening of manufactured articles for foreign consumers, but our railways are giving a large reduction on freight rates of those exports from factory to ship. And to still further illustrate the operations of this detestable system, the railroads advance rates on other freights, especially on cereals, to offset the concessions to manufacturers. Thus the few obtain privileges at the expense of diminished opportunities for the many. And on this, on the law which renders all this practicable, the party in power is to stand pat because an election is near at hand.

Commenting on the Post's arraignment of this iniquitous system, the Lexington Herald says:

We ask our readers to consider this statement thoughtfully and as far as possible without regard to partisan affiliations. Every consumer of American products; every American producer of agricultural products is deeply interested in this double charge; this increase in the price of that which he consumes and the added cost of transportation on his products, which means a diminished reward for what he raises; that is, his capacity to purchase is lessened, while the price of what he must buy is increased. In one sense this is a matter of politics—in that real sense of what is the government and policy that is of benefit to the citizen; in another sense, it does not rightly fall within the scope of mere partisan politics. It is the prostitution of both party and government to the unjust and iniquitous advantage of one class of citizens at the expense and cost of the vast majority of the people; it is the levying tribute under the forms of taxation on the great mass of the people for a comparatively small class of citizens. And the inexplicable fact is that this discrimination is made by the very voters and people who are hurt by it. Those who are benefitted could not carry a

single State—perhaps not a single district; the policy is adopted by the votes of those who are plucked by it; and they do it in the name of party and under the name of patriotism.

If the people really desire any relief from the extortionate grasp of the trusts they certainly ought to know by this time that they can't expect it as long as they vote for a Republican Congress and a Republican President. It's up to the voters to settle this question, and they can do it next fall.

### WHERE'S THE CASH?

Other Counties Kicking Because Mason Shows so Little of It Listed For Taxation.

[Fleming Gazette.]

A report from the State Board of Equalization has just been issued showing the equalized assessments of the different counties for last year. Below are the assessments of the amount of cash on deposit given in by the counties named:

Fleming.....	\$152,075
Mason.....	66,630
Lewis.....	42,458
Nicholas.....	121,219
Robertson.....	26,602
Bath.....	116,045

By this list it will be seen that Mason County, by far the wealthiest one of the list, gives in less than three of the others. Only \$66,630 is listed in Mason, whereas the bank reports of that county show from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 cash on deposit, showing that a mere bagatelle of the cash there is being listed for taxation, while virtually all of it is being hid away by the tax dodgers.

### HUNDRED POUND RAILS

To Take the Place of Those of Lighter Weight on the C. and O.

The Chesapeake and Ohio will by some time next year have rails weighing 100 pounds to the yard laid all the way from Cincinnati to Gordonsville, Va., a distance of 522 miles.

From Ashland, Ky., to Gordonsville, a distance of 380 miles, rails of this weight are now down.

The heavy rails to be put down on the 142 miles of road between Ashland and Cincinnati are now being distributed from Ashland this way as fast as they are received from the rail mills.

The rails taken up and which are replaced by the heavier rails weigh seventy-five pounds to the yard.

At a dance at Augusta Will Jett, colored, shot Luke Shropshire, colored, below the hip. The bullet passed through a pocketbook and papers and this probably saved his life.

Judge Hanson Kennedy, of Carlisle, is critically ill, his death being expected any hour.

### PERSONAL.

—Mr. John B. Holton, of Indianapolis, is in town.

—Mrs. Howell Jones, of Ashland, is visiting relatives at Mayslick.

—Mrs. Thos. White, of Louisville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles D. Pearce.

—Mr. Nathan Mullikin, of Tuckahoe, is at home after spending a year in Farmer City, Illinois.

—Miss Helen Goff, of Dover, has been spending the week with Mrs. Esther Hanna, of West Third street.

—Mrs. Anna Riley of Sherburne, Fleming County, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Douglas McDowell, of West Third street.

—Mrs. Tillie Reese Worick and Masters Reese and Wilson Worick, of Lexington, have been visiting in Carlisle the past two weeks.

—Misses Anna Redmond and Nora Mae Reed were pleasantly entertained by Miss Helen Burke at Mayslick a few days the past week.

—Mrs. Martin McDonald and daughter, Miss Ella, of Hilltop, Fleming County, returned home Wednesday after visiting Mrs. C. T. Ramey, of East Second.

—Mrs. Fant, Miss Fant, Mr. Fant, Mr. Watson Andrews, of Flemingsburg, Mrs. Pearce, Miss Lida Fant, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fant, of Covington, were among those who were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late James P. Fant.

Pan "kake" flour and syrup—Calhoun's.

Slop for sale at Limestone distillery, commencing Dec. 11th.

The meeting at Helena closed with seventeen additions to the M. E. Church, South.

C. E. Horrocks and wife have conveyed to J. F. and John Barbour two lots in Culbertson for \$1 and other consideration.

John L. Walsh, formerly with J. Ballenger, of this city, invites his Maysville friends to call on him at George Simpers', 717 Vine St., near Eighth, to see one of the finest lines of watches, diamonds, jewelry and Xmas. goods in Cincinnati. Call for John.

Porter Bros. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whisky \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

The Ohio River and Columbus railway has bought several acres of land on the Johns farm just below Ripley, and will open a stone quarry. They will shortly move their stone crusher there and begin the crushing of stone for ballast. There is exposed on the ground a ledge of rock thirty-five feet thick near the top of the hill.

The Building Committee of the Kentucky Exhibit Association has decided to abandon the plan of having a mosaic map in the center of the first floor of the Kentucky Building at the World's Fair. In its place there will be installed attractive exhibits of forestry and minerals. These will probably be so built as to pierce the light well of the second floor. They will be in addition to the other exhibits, such as agriculture, education, etc., in other parts of the building.

The BULLETIN is in receipt of a letter from Mr. E. Egenberger, of New York, who says he landed in Maysville fifty-three years ago, and taught school in the Gault neighborhood ten miles out the following six months. He remembers with pleasure the Gault families, the Biggars family and Esquire McCarthy and says those were halcyon days for him. Mr. Egenberger is now engaged in inducing young men of the North to immigrate to South Carolina, where innumerable plantations of fertile land are lying idle. His address is Room 1306, Vincent Building, 302 Broadway.

### "A Friend of the Family."

Lovers of good clean comedy will have an opportunity to-night to witness in "A Friend of the Family" one of the brightest and cleverest of this style of entertainment. Like all successful farces of the past decade it had its origin in the German, where under the name of "Der Familien Freund" it enjoyed a phenomenal run of 215 nights at the Court Theatre, Berlin. See this funny comedy at the opera house to-night. You will enjoy it. Secure seats at Ray's.

### PITHY POINTS.

Taylor is playing the possum act at Indianapolis just as Youtsey played it at Frankfort.

The case of Taylor pursuing law in Indiana might be termed the continuation of his run from law in Kentucky.

Durbin can't look for his protégé Taylor to make a success in the pursuit of law when he is teaching him how to succeed in evading it.

If Taylor hasn't been successful in the pursuit of law in Indiana he can console himself with the fact that he has been a success in eluding it in Kentucky.

Pope Bicycle Daily Memoranda Calendar.

The re-issue of the Pope bicycle daily-leaf calendar may be considered the opening gun proclaiming the natural and healthful return of bicycling. Col. Albert A. Pope, the founder of our bicycle industries and the pioneer in the good roads movement, is again at the head of the bicycle industry. Upon the 366 calendar leaves are freshly written lines, from the pens of our greatest college presidents, doctors, clergymen, statesmen, and other eminent men and women, all of them enthusiastically supporting bicycling. Half of each leaf is blank for memoranda. This calendar is free at the Pope Manufacturing Company's stores, or any of our readers can obtain it by sending five 2-cent stamps to the Pope Manufacturing Co., Hartford, Conn., or 143 Sigel Street, Chicago, Ill.

Meet me at Mills' Edison's, Fountain Square.

## 25c. Gifts For Women.

Tiffany Vases exquisite now ware in iridescent colors.  
Pearl shirt waist pins—set of three.  
Hatpins of copper, gilt, silver, pearl, turquoise, enameled.  
Pearl, silver and gold-plated neck chains.  
Brooches in pearl, enamel, rhinestone, turquoise, silver and gilt.  
Neck rosettes of maline in black, white and colors. Also Ohinelle dotted mousseline in black and white.  
Handsome French gray, jewelled, serpent belt buckles.  
Wrist bags with outside card case and handkerchief pocket, black and colors.  
Five other styles.  
Push-lined hair pin cases, filled.  
Pompadour combs, two styles, substitute and great improvement on the "rat."  
Japanese vases, several styles.  
Ellen Terry hairpins, three styles, amber and shell.  
Twin hairpins with comb attached.  
Neat box of twelve large tortoise hairpins.  
Pretty box containing fancy bottle of Colgate's perfume.  
Handsome celluloid soap boxes, pink, white, blue.  
Box of fine toilet soap, three bars to box.  
Combs for stray locks, handsome back and side combs, shell and amber, many styles.  
Fancy Hose Supporters—two styles—black, white, colors.  
Fancy Garters with buckle and ribbon bow—several styles—black, white, colors.  
Tuxedo Mesh Veils in many styles.  
Jersey Shirts in cream or mixture.  
Shetland Wool Fascinators in white, black, colors.  
Oil Lithograph Pillow Tops in many designs.  
Dainty Corset Covers and Drawers.  
Pearl Glove Buttoners.  
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For little folks made just like the big ones, some with straps, some without. They all have trays with hat box and trinket box.

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### PLANS ARE MATURING.

Forestry Exhibit From Kentucky at Exposition Will Be Very Elaborate.

No more attractive exhibit at the World's Fair at St. Louis is to be made of Kentucky's products and resources than that in the Palace of Forestry, Fish and Game. In this building, as well as in all others on the exposition grounds where Kentucky is to have a part, the association has been looked upon with favor by the chief of the department. Kentucky's forestry space is on two of the main aisles of the building and almost in the center, between the two chief entrances. Mr. A. N. Struck, of Louisville, the chairman of the committee, and Mr. William Boa, the field representative thereof, have for counsel and assistance in their work the following well-known gentlemen: Clarence R. Mengel, Girard Alexander, Cecil Eraser, Gen. John B. Castleman and Ernest Kettig, of Louisville. The forestry exhibit from Kentucky, representing seventy-odd different varieties of commercial timbers, will be made as rustic in appearance as possible. A twelve-foot partition is to separate Kentucky from her neighbor, and on this partition will be displayed all the products of forestry with six-inch sections from logs. It was first suggested by Dr. Tarleton H. Bean, the Chief of the Department of Forestry for the Exposition, that the timber display be made in eight-foot sections, so cut as to show all the grains of the wood. To utilize space, however, it has been determined to show only six-inch sections. In this way not only is it possible to give a good view of every variety of timber in the State, but the finished products from the same. Some kind friends of the association living in Eastern Kentucky have brought to the attention of the organization a number of massive trees in different counties which approach in size the monsters from California. Long sections of these trees will be shown in the out-door forestry exhibit.

Dr. Bean, in a recent talk with an officer of the association, appeared anxious to have Kentucky to include in her space in his department the medicinal plants of the State and the seeds from the various trees. He also wants mounted specimens of fish and game shown and, in this connection, it may be mentioned that the association is endeavoring to get the Polytechnic Society of Louisville to let it have its wonderful collection of native Kentucky bird skins now in its possession. This collection was made by Mr. Charles Wickliffe Bockham, a relative of Governor J. C. W. Beckham, at the time connected with the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. There are three thousands specimens in the collection, showing the difference in plumage especially.

Kentuckians will be interested in knowing that Dr. Bean has assigned John J. Tully, of Louisville, a space twenty by twenty-one feet for a display of his hand-made fish nets, etc. Dr. Bean wants Mr. Tully to give all the life possible to this exhibit and has invited him to manufacture the fish nets in the space allotted to him.

## Buy Your Holiday Perfumes Now!

Don't wait until Christmas week to buy your perfumes. Then the stock has been picked over and the choicest articles sold. We have taken great care in selecting our stock of perfumes and can show a large selection of

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## John C. Pecor,

PHARMACIST.

## To the Trade.

On or about Dec. 21st, sufficient improvements will have been made to the business heretofore known as the Maysville Bottling Works, recently purchased by me, to begin operations when I will offer a standard of Carbonated Beverages and Mineral Waters unsurpassed anywhere, and which I am sure will please. The goods will be produced whole and pure, and above all will be made clean. I hope to merit your patronage by strict attention to business, and by serving the class of goods mentioned. Very respectfully,

GEO. A. BLEICH,  
Proprietor Kentucky Bottling Works.  
Out of town orders will receive prompt attention.

## NOTICE!

The election of Directors for the Mason County Building and Savings Association for the ensuing year will take place at the Council Chamber on December 26, 1903, at 7 o'clock p. m.  
THOS. M. RUSSELL, Sec.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two bloodhounds. Apply to N. GOLLENSTEIN, 431 Forest avenue, Maysville, Ky.

FOR SALE—A horse and phaeton on reasonable terms. Also a walnut sideboard. Apply to MRS. A. E. COLE. 12-44

FOR RENT OR SALE—My farm on Jersey Ridge pike. Apply on premises. Money rent. MRS. K. F. MILLER. 12-461

### Card of Thanks.

To our many friends, relatives and neighbors we wish to express our sincere thanks for their many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and at the death and burial of my beloved wife. Especially do I thank Bro. Moss, also the pallbearers and donors of flowers.  
GEORGE JOHNSON.



Meet  
Me at Smith's,  
The New Shoe Store,  
Promptly at  
10:30 Xmas Morning.

## The Day of Promise

Is very near—only a little while longer in which to make yourself solid with "Saint Nick" and patronize SMITH in time to join the expectant throng at The New Shoe Store Christmas morning. All the latest novelties in Holiday footwear and the best lines of staple goods for Men, Women and Children at W. R. SMITH & CO.'S.



# The Bee Hive!

WE GIVE GLOBE TRADING STAMPS.

Open Every Night Until Xmas!

Follow the crowd to the Big Store where you will find the largest selection of Christmas gifts. No guessing here. Every article marked in plain figures. Come and see for yourself.

## Pyrographic Outfit.

All the rage for making burnt wood. Price \$2.25, with two pieces of stamped wood. A big collection of stamped wood from 8c. up. Come and ask to see it.

## Handkerchiefs.

Three great specials. All linen initial, 10c. All silk fancy border, 39c. Embroidered, worth 25, special Xmas price 18c.

## Long Needle Pines

Direct from Georgia, used to decorate our store till Xmas. On sale now but will not be delivered until Xmas eve. Price 35c and 49c. Come soon to secure one.

## Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks!

We are headquarters for Cloaks. Special prices from now until Xmas.

See the 25 Cent Table!

## FROZEN OVER.

River Closed Last Night and Navigation Entirely Suspended—Courier Caught in Gorge at Ironton.

The open space in the river between the ice gorge below town and the gorge at Brooks' Bar froze over last night. The ferryboat Laurance tried the new ice this morning, but succeeded in making only one trip. Captain Plister ran her in below the piers, and concluded to quit until the weather moderates and the break comes.

Navigation is entirely suspended, the first time this early in the season for years. The freeze up is largely due to the low stage of water, the local marks showing less than four feet. The current was not strong enough to keep the ice moving.

The steamer Courier was caught in an ice gorge just below Ironton and is reported in a very dangerous position.

## GUILTY OF MURDER.

Negro Who Formerly Lived at Washington Convicted of Killing His Wife.

ELYRIA, OHIO, December 15.—John Bennett, colored, of Covington, Ky., was found guilty of murder in the first degree here to-day for killing his wife in Oberlin on Oct. 18.

He forced carbolic acid down her throat and afterwards hit her on the head with a brick.

The testimony of the two Cincinnati negroes, George McCann and En. Ivory, concerning threats that Bennett made against his wife was the most damaging evidence.

The Crane Company of Chicago will distribute \$250,000, the largest Christmas gift among its employees it ever made, perhaps the largest ever made by a Chicago concern. Not only present employees, but all of the 500 men who have been laid off on account of lack of work, will be included in the distribution. Last year each employee was given 5 per cent. of his yearly wage.

# You Are Invited

To visit my store and inspect my immense stock. It is now full and complete. It is clean and up-to-date. In variety it can't be beat. In quality no better can be produced.

## Specialties For the Holidays.....

An unusually large stock of FIREWORKS and CANDIES of all kinds, Nuts, mixed and un-mixed; also, Oranges, Bananas, Lemons, Apples, Figs, Raisins, Dates, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Dried Fruits, Prunes, Maple Sugar, Buckwheat Flour, Catsups, Oyster Cocktail Sauce, and every article in the Fancy Grocery Line; Oysters, Celery and Cranberries, Poultry and Game. My stock of Fine Teas is unusually large, and my stock of Canned Goods can't be surpassed, either in quantity or quality. Before the late heavy advances in Green Coffee I laid in a large supply. My goods enable me at all times to offer the Purest and Best Open Kettle New Crop MOLASSES. My stock is now unusually large. Have just received from the packers in Boston a very large invoice of FINE MACKEREL in kits and barrels; quality extra. My Roasted Coffee are always fresh and quality unsurpassed. My Special Blend at 25c. has no equal for the money. Perfection Flour is always the best. You make no mistake when you buy it.

Remember, I buy my goods in large quantities from first hands and can meet anybody's price; and don't forget I both WHOLESALE and RETAIL. Because of my largely increased business I was compelled to buy another house for storage room, and it is now full.

**R. B. LOVELL,**  
THE LEADING GROCER.

PHONE 83.

## THE TOBACCO TRUST.

Congressman Trimble Thinks His Bill Now Pending Will Afford the Farmers Some Relief.

Congressman South Trimble of the Seventh Kentucky district has introduced the following bill for the relief of the farmers and tobacco growers of the United States:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That farmers and growers of tobacco shall hereafter have the right to sell tobacco in the raw and unadulterated, of their own growth, in any quantity, either in the leaf, twist, or such other form as they may wish, free from any tax or charge, or being in any manner subject to any statutory regulation on the part of the Government of the United States. All statutes in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

In a circular letter to farmers and growers Mr. Trimble says: "Its passage will prevent the arbitrary fixing of the price of raw leaf, or the manufactured product. It will be an equitable, automatic governor of prices, protecting both producer and consumer, and working no injury to the manufacturer who is satisfied with a legitimate profit on his capital. This bill has been indorsed by the White Burley Tobacco Growers' Association of Kentucky, the only organization of tobacco growers in the United States. Every member of the Kentucky delegation in Congress is enthusiastically supporting it, but there is no influence so potent before Congress as a direct petition from the people. I want one hundred thousand citizens to petition Congress through their members, urging the passage of this bill. Blank petitions will be furnished upon application. Your hearty co-operation is most earnestly desired."

Chickenpox is very prevalent at Mayslick.

Slop for sale at Limestone distillery, commencing Dec. 11th.

Mrs. Lucy M. Dimmitt has been granted a divorce from Dr. Hal W. Dimmitt.

Charles McAuliffe has qualified as executor of Timothy McAuliffe, without surety as requested in the will.

Rev. Dr. John Barbour will conduct a Christmas song service at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Dr. Smoot and Rev. R. E. Moss will sing solos.

The L. and N. passenger train due here at 9:45 a. m. came in two hours late Wednesday, the delay having been caused by a freight wreck between Richmond and Stanford.

Mr. O. B. Vanhorn, a member of the State Y. M. C. A. committee, will conduct a religious work institute at the association parlors Friday evening. All interested in religious work are cordially invited.

The suit of Patrick Collins against Dr. W. P. Dobyns was tried in the Circuit Court this week, the jury returning a verdict for defendant Wednesday afternoon. The suit was for \$5,000 for alleged faulty treatment of a broken leg.

Hon. John D. Carroll, of Newcastle, Ky., has been appointed special judge to try the damage suit of McCabe against the C. and O. at the February term of the Mason Circuit Court, Judge Harbeson having declined to hear the case.

The late Rev. Joseph S. Felix, who died suddenly in Louisville of apoplexy, was a brother of Rev. W. H. Felix, of Lexington. He had charge of the Augusta Baptist Church some years ago. His wife, who survives, is a sister of Judge Doniphan, of Augusta.

The members of Wyandotte Tribe I. O. R. M., who attended the institution of Buffalo Tribe at Sardis last night, arrived home at 6:30 this morning and report a big time. They were royally entertained by the good people of Sardis. The new tribe starts off under the most favorable auspices, the membership being over sixty.

The funeral of Mrs. George Johnson took place at the family residence on Main street in Sixth ward, Rev. R. E. Moss officiating. Interment in the Maysville Cemetery. Mrs. Johnson's maiden name was Breeze, and she was a native of Fleming County. Her husband with one son, Chester A. Johnson, shipping clerk at the Ohio Valley Pulley Factory, survives her. Mrs. Johnson had long been a faithful member of the Christian Church.

A peculiar condition of affairs was discovered Wednesday in the water mains supplying Mr. R. B. Lovell's grocery and residence. The water suddenly stopped running in the house and an examination disclosed the fact that the pipes were not frozen. Mr. Larry Langfels, the plumber, then had his men to dig down to the connection with the principal main in the street, and was surprised to find it turned off. The connection is under the street railway track, and the only way to account for the shutting off of the water is that the weight of the cars in passing over the main had gradually turned off the connection.

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From now until the end of the month we are going to make strenuous efforts to close out all of our Overcoats and heavy weight Suits. It will be advantageous for you to investigate our goods and prices.

Don't delay selecting one of our handsome House or Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes or Dressing Gowns. No such line was ever shown in Maysville. See them in our windows.

Dress Suit Cases and hand bags make acceptable Christmas Gifts. We have hundreds to choose from.

Our Neckwear, Gloves and Hats command your attention, not only in quality and style, but also "in price."

"Our Men's and Boys' Shoes" are the kind to buy. Douglas and Hanan—they cost but a trifle more than nondescript makes and are warranted to give satisfaction.

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Albums, Autograph Albums, Albums for unmounted photos, Alphabet Blocks, Accordions, Atomizers, Automatic Knives, Books and Toy Books, Backgammon Boards, Baggage Tags, Bank-ots, waste paper, Cell Bells, Bill Books, Black Boards, Book Holders, Book Stands, Brushes, shaving, Brushes, tooth, Brushes, military, Boards, archery, Boards, crokinole, Balls, base and fancy, Banjos, Bibles, Bicycles, Christmas Cards, Calendars, Candles, Card Cases, Checker Boards, Cigar Cases, Collar and Cuff Buds, Chatelaine Bags, Chess, Card Cases, Crumb Trays, Dolls, Fountain Pens, Frames, Harmoniums, Holder, photo, Handkerchiefs, Ink Stands, Jewel Boxes, Kodaks, Lap Tablets, Lamps, Manicure Sets, Madallions, Mirrors, Music Rolls, Mandolins, Nockette Boxes, Note Books, Paper Weights, Ping-Pong, Papeteries, Printing Presses, Parehesi, Pictures, Purses, Pocket-books, Phonographs, Razors, safety, Rifles, Scrap Books, Sealing Wax, Skates, ice and roller, Smoking Sets, Shaving Sets, Soap Boxes, Stationery, Sleds, Toilet Cases, Tooth Picks, gold, Tennis Rackets, Tally Cards, Toys, Violins, Vases, Visiting Cards and Envelopes, Velocipedes, Wall Pockets, Work Boxes, Wrist Bags, Wagons, Games, Gold Pens, Glove and Handkerchief, Guitars.

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Do Not Send Money in the Ordinary Mail.

Valuable mail matter of every class should be registered to insure its safe transmission and proper delivery.

An indemnity, for its value, up to twenty-five dollars, will be paid if a registered letter mailed at and addressed to a U. S. postoffice is lost in the mails.

The register fee is 8 cents, in addition to postage. CLARENCE MATHEWS, P. M.

Mr. Jacob Wormald has sold to Mrs. Lucy Neal property on the Germantown pike, a short distance below the city, consisting of a house and seven lots, for \$1,400 cash.

Mr. Harry P. Purnell has been named as substitute clerk in the postoffice, this city.

The Baptists of Danville contributed \$5,000 last week to the endowment fund of the Georgetown College.

Go to O. H. P. Thomas & Co., 120 and 122 Market street, for the purest and best whiskies, brandies, wines and gin. Goods guaranteed.

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All styles, "best on earth," lowest prices, at **W. F. POWER'S.**

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For the holidays can be had at the New York Store of Hays & Co. at greatly reduced prices.

A nice Storm Veil in pink, blue, red, white, 24c. on up to \$1.	Ladies' ready-to-wear Hats 25c. on up.
Ladies' Underwear, best in town, 25c.; a winner.	Ladies' Wraps, finest kind, only \$6.
Children's Wraps 98c. on up to \$4, worth much more.	A good Blanket 39c. on up; very large Blankets, extra heavy, 99c.
A fine pair of Shoes for lady and gent 98c. on up.	Ladies' Trimmed Hats, \$3 value now \$1.50.
Men's fine Health Underwear, fleeced lined, 39c.	Three thousand Handkerchiefs for Ladies and Gents, 5 and 10c. and 25c.; see them.
Ladies' Wraps, the chance of a lifetime, new, elegant styles, only \$3.95.	A heavy Comfort 59c. to \$1.50; worth much more.
Fine Silks for dresses and waists 40c. on up; best black silk only \$1.	Dress goods of every description. Prices less than at other places.
	A big assortment of Dolls cheap.

Every 25c. purchase entitles you to a chance on the fine Doll.

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# Santa Claus

Reports a heavier mail each succeeding day. Hundreds of requests overwhelm the old gent, who says it seems as though all the boys want SKATES and POCKET KNIVES this year. Some girls, too, have written for a pair of "Clubs." Many mothers want Stag Carving Sets, a case of fine Pearl-handle Knives and Forks, Triple-plated Spoons, or Scissors in Sets. Something doin', also, in Pearl-handle RAZORS and complete Shaving Outfits. By virtue of the authority vested in us through Saint Nick's approval of our holiday stock, we have been declared the people who can "deliver the goods."

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#### WARSHIPS TO BE SENT.

One Will Go To Beirut and Another to Korean Waters.

Washington, Dec. 17.—As a result of Minister Leishman's advice, respecting the Alexandretta affair, the state department has requested the navy department to place a warship at the disposal of Consul Davis, now at Beirut, upon which he might return to Alexandretta, at his pleasure. The navy department accordingly cabled instructions to Adm. Cotton, on board the flagship Brooklyn at Alexandria, Egypt, to place a vessel at the disposal of Mr. Davis. It is believed the Brooklyn will be selected. It is left to the consul to arrange the terms of his reception.

At the request of Minister Allen, at Seoul, who reports considerable uneasiness and rioting in Korea, the state department has suggested to the navy department that a warship be sent to Korean waters. It is probable the Wilmington will be detailed for this purpose.

W. BOURKE COCKRAN.

He Will Be Nominated to Succeed Congressman McClellan.

New York, Dec. 17.—W. Bourke Cockran will be nominated by Tammany hall to succeed Mayor-elect Geo. McClellan as the representative from the Twelfth congressional district as soon as Mr. McClellan resigns his seat to undertake his duties as the municipal executive. That was determined Wednesday at Mr. Cockran's office, where he met Charles F. Murphy and

gave the Tammany hall leader his consent to run.

#### NEW WORLD'S RECORD.

A Five-Man Bowling Team Scored a Total of 1,164 Pins.

Erie, Pa., Dec. 17.—In a match bowling contest Wednesday night Blue Ribbon team, of the Central City league, established a world's record for a five-man team, scoring a total of 1,164 pins. The former record was 1,152 pins. H. C. Stahlbordt made 11 of 37 strikes in a game marked by but two errors.

#### Will Meet in Detroit Next Year.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 17.—Word was received here Wednesday that this city has been chosen for the 1904 convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America. The date has not been fixed, but July 7 to 10 has been favorably mentioned.

#### Death of John R. Butler.

St. Louis, Dec. 17.—John R. Butler, 32, son of Edward Butler, whose conviction on a charge of bribery was quashed by the supreme court recently, died from heart trouble. He had been looking after his father's political interests.

#### President of the Lady Managers.

St. Louis, Dec. 17.—The lady managers of the Louisiana Purchase exposition Wednesday elected Mrs. Daniel Manning, of Albany, N. Y., to succeed Mrs. Blair as president of the board. She was nominated by Miss Helen M. Gould.

#### Appropriation For Good Roads.

Elmira, N. Y., Dec. 17.—The county

board of supervisors appropriated \$250,000 for the construction of good roads through the county. The roads are intended to form a part of a highway running from New York to Chicago.

#### Football Game Called Off.

Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 17.—The University of California football executive committee called off the proposed New Year's day football game between the University of California eleven and a team from the University of Minnesota.

#### Awarded Half a Cent Damages.

Birmingham, Eng., Dec. 17.—Marie Corelli, the novelist, was awarded half a cent damages, each side to pay their own costs, in a libel suit brought by her against the proprietor of the Stratford-On-Avon Herald.

#### Russian Jews to Emigrate.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 17.—About 4,000 Jews at Kischineff are asking for aid to emigrate to Argentina or to Canada. They want tracts of land to establish colonies.

#### MARKET REPORT.

##### Flour and Grain.

Cincinnati, Dec. 16.—Flour—Winter patent, \$4.20@4.40; fancy, \$3.75@3.90; family, \$3.20@3.50; extra, \$2.70@2.90; low grade, \$2.50@2.65; spring patent, \$4.60@4.95; Kansas, \$3.95@4.25; fancy, \$3.50@4.15; family, \$3.70@3.85; North-western rye, \$3.25@3.40. Wheat—No. 2 red quotable at 89¢@89½¢ on track. Corn—Sales: No. 3 mixed, track, 41½¢; No. 3 white, track, 41½¢@42¢; rejected white, track, 40½¢@41¢. Oats—No. 2 mixed quotable at 38½¢ on track.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 88½¢; No. 3 do, 87¢; No. 2 hard, 81¢; No. 3 do, 70¢@77¢; No. 1 Northern spring, 86¢; No. 2 do, 81¢@83¢. Corn—No. 2, 42½¢@43¢; No. 3, 42¼¢@42½¢. Oats—No. 2, 35¼¢; No. 3, 35¢.

##### Live Stock.

Cincinnati, Dec. 16.—Cattle—Heavy steers, choice to extra, \$4.60@5; fair to good, \$4@4.50; butcher steers, extra, \$4.50; good to choice, \$4@4.40; heifers, extra, \$3.85@4; good to choice, \$3.10@3.75; cows, extra, \$3.40@3.50; good to choice, \$3@3.35. Calves—Fair to good light, \$5.50@6.50; extra, \$6.75@7. Hogs—Good to choice packers and butchers, \$4.55@4.60; few extra, \$4.65, and the few early sales at \$4.70.

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